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Naples, January 6.

THE Affair of Melazzo ſtands as it did; and if a longer Continuance of bad Weather than can reaſonably be apprehended, does not prevent the Supplies of Proviſions going to them, the Imperialiſts make no Doubt of maintaining themſelves there. Nor by the laſt Accounts does it ſeem at all likely the Spaniards will offer to attack them, having palliſadoed their own Works. The St. Peter, a Spaniſh Man of War of 60 Guns, has been wrecked in a Storm on the Coaſt of Calabria: Of 500 Men which made up her Company, only 309 could eſcape aſhore, and they are made Priſoners.

Berne, Jan. 18. The Deputies of Neufchatel have not yet had their Audience of the Sovereign Council here, but have only preſented their Credential Letters to M. Steiguer, the ruling Avoyer of this Canton; and ſince their Arrival here, have been taken up with informing moſt of the Members of the ſaid Council of their Grievances, relating to the Prohibition of the Sale of their Wines in this Country. On the 15th Inſtant a Proclamation was publiſhed in all Churches of this Canton, prohibiting, upon ſevere Penalties, any Subject of this State to preſume to ſtir out of the Canton, or to liſt himſelf in the Service of any Foreign Prince whatſoever, without Leave from this State. On the 16th Inſtant at Night, M. Muller and M. de Wattewille, both Gentlemen of this Town, and of the principal Families, quarrelled in a Tavern, and both drawing the former was killed; M. de Wattewille, though dangerouſly wounded, had the Fortune to eſcape in a Coach as ſoon as the Gates were opened, to the Territories of Fribourg; but 'tis ſaid he will hardly recover of his Wounds. The Loſs of theſe two Gentlemen is generally lamented here.

Berne, Jan. 25. M. Muller, who was killed lately by M. de Wattewille, was buried here privately on the 19th Inſtant in the Morning, the Sovereign Council having been aſſembled the Day before, and reſolved, that upon the Requeſt of the Father of the Deceaſed (who is a Member of the little Council of this Canton) and in Conſideration of the Services he had done to this Republick, the Law of this Country, which in the like Caſes does not permit Funeral Rites in the ordinary Form, ſhould be ſuperſeded, and M. Muller have Leave to inter his Son privately where he pleaſed. M. de Wattewille, who is ſtill in the Canton of Fribourg, is now judged to be out of Danger from his Wounds. The Deputies of Neufchatel continue here, and are ſtill taken up with informing both Councils of this State of their Grievances. 'Tis ſaid their Caſe is now printing, and will be diſtributed amongſt the Members of this Republick. The three Chief of this Deputation, and who are of the Council of State at Neufchatel, came two Days ago to make a Viſit to Mr. Manning, his Britannick Majeſty's Reſident here. The Officers of this Canton who are in the French Service, having received Orders to get their Companies compleat early in the Spring, when they are to march to the Frontiers of Spain, ſeveral of them are arrived here to raiſe Recruits, for which they have obtained Leave of this State.

Bruſſels, Feb. 1. The Marqueſs de Prié with his Family, went to Antwerp on the 29th paſt, where the Marriage of his ſecond Son the Count de Caſtiglione with the Princeſs d' Eſquilache, Widow of the Marqueſs of Taracena, was ſolemnized the next Day with very great Magnificence. The Viſcount of Oudenarde's Houſe here, is fitting up for the Reception of the new-married Couple; and there will be great Entertainments and Maſquerades on their Arrival. Early this Morning the Marqueſs returned hither: He paſſed the Evening Yeſterday at Mechlen with the Preſident M. Baillet, on whom the Emperour has lately conferred the Title of Count. His Excellency in his Way from Mechlen hither, received an Expreſs from Count Wrangel Governour of this Town giving an Account of a Tumult here; whereupon he thought fit to ſtop at Wilvorde, till he was informed that all was quiet again. The Occaſion of this Tumult was, that a Number of the meaner Sort of People being got together in the Evening at the Park Gate facing the Square of Louvain, ſome of them uttered Treaſonable Words aloud, and inſulted the Centinel placed at that Gate; who calling to his Aſſiſtance the Guard quartered in the Park, they ſeized three of them. The reſt gathering more of the Populace together, went to the Governour's Houſe and peremptorily and with Threats demanded to have their Comrades ſet at Liberty: But Count Wrangel having a ſtrong Guard at Hand, cauſed three of the boldeſt of them to be ſeized, and committed